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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

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2011 South Clark Place  
Customer Window, Mail Stop Patent Application  
Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03  
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Case Docket No.: CIT/K-107B

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Jin Soo LEE and Hyeon Jun KIM:

FOR: METHOD OF SEARCHING OR BROWSING MULTIMEDIA DATA AND DATA STRUCTURE

Enclosed are:

1. ☒ 34 pages of specification, claims, abstract
2. ☒ 4 sheets of FORMAL drawings.
3. ☒ 2 pages of Declaration & Power of Attorney (copy from a prior application).  
☒ Incorporation By Reference-The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.  
☒ This is a ☒ Continuation or ☐ Divisional of prior application No. 09/493,038, filed on January 28, 2000, entitled **METHOD OF SEARCHING OR BROWSING MULTIMEDIA DATA AND DATA STRUCTURE**
4. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO 1449 Form are submitted herewith.
5. ☐ Cancel claims \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 5 above:

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CLAIMS AS FILED					
For	No. Filed		No. Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	47	- 20	27	X \$18.00	\$486.00
Indep. Claims	6	- 3	3	X \$84.00	\$252.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (If applicable) add \$280.00.					
BASIC FEE					\$750.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$1488.00

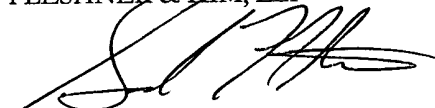
7. ☒ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
8. ☐ Applicant claims Small Entity status.
- 9a. ☒ A check in the amount of \$1488.00 (Check # 10326) is attached.
- 9b. ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 16-0607 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- 9c. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0607. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
- ☐ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

- 10a. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any extension of time fees to maintain the pendency of the parent application No. or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0607.
- 10b. ☒ Authorization under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).
- 11a. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
--This application is a Continuation of Application No. 09/493,038 filed January 28, 2000, the entire contents of which are herein incorporated by reference.--
- 11b. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
--This application is a Divisional of Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.--
12. ☒ Priority of Application Serial Nos. 2979/1999 and 35798/1999 filed on January 29, 1999 and August 27, 1999, respectively, in Korea is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119. The certified priority document(s) were filed in Serial No. 09/493,038 on January 28, 2000.
13. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to LG ELECTRONICS, INC. at Reel 010640, Frame 0746
14. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to:  
  
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15. ☒ Two (2) return postcards.  
☒ Stamp & Return with Courier.  
☒ Prepaid Postcard-Stamped Filing Date & Returned with Unofficial Serial Number.
16. ☒ Also enclosed:

**DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.132**

17. ☐ A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending prior application until \_\_\_\_\_.

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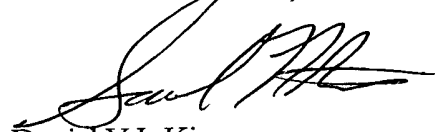
**AUTHORIZATION TO TREAT A REPLY AS INCORPORATING  
AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3)**

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for an extension of time under this paragraph for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3). The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge all required extension of time fees to our Deposit Account No. 16-0607, if such fees are not otherwise provided for in such reply. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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